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TOWN OFFICERS

MODERATOR.

GEORGE E. WHITCOMB.

SELECTMEN.

JOSEPH L. STARKEY. EDWARD B. HOLBROOK.

GEORGE E. ADAMS.

TOWN CLERK.

GEORGE I. CUTLER.

TREASURER.

EDWARD H. SNOW.

COLLECTOR.

GEORGE W. WILLIS.

SUPERVISORS.

ERDIX S. EASTMAN. WALTER E. MARSH.

JAMES M. RAMSDELL.

HIGHWAY AGENTS.

JOHN W. STARKEY. GEORGE L. UNDERWOOD.

CHARLES A. BARDEN.

SCHOOL BOARD.

NELLIE SPARHAWK. JESSIE H. MARSH.

LUCIA E. WHITCOMB.

BOARD OF HEALTH.

GEORGE I. CUTLER. JOHN BOURN.

AUDITOR.

WALTER E. MARSH.

REPORT OF SELECTMEN AND TREASURER.

APPROPRIATIONS AT THE ANNUAL MEETING IN MARCH, 1903.

Repairs on highways and bridges,	\$2,500 00
Support of schools,	2,800 00
Steamer,	1,000 00
Support of poor,	200 00
Town charges,	1,000 00
Care of cemeteries,	200 00
Supplies for schools,	250 00
Decorations for soldiers' graves,	100 00
Old Home Week,	75 00

AT SCHOOL MEETING.

Repairs on school property,	\$250 00
For new schoolhouse at Swanzey Factory,	3,000 00

APRIL INVOICE, 1903.

Resident real estate,	\$448,700 00
Non-resident real estate,	128,550 00
Mills and machinery,	64,950 00
Stock in trade,	34,750 00
Money at interest,	23,155 00
Stock in banks,	2,100 00
451 polls,	45,100 00
365 horses,	22,600 00
6 oxen,	430 00

576 cows,	13,365 00
257 other neat stock,	4,220 00
62 sheep,	210 00
6 hogs,	75 00
Fowls,	150 00
Vehicles,	2,050 00
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	\$790,405 00

Rate per cent, \$1.95.

Tax resulting,	\$15,412 90
Amount committed to collector,	15,412 90
Added to collector's book,	14 82

RECEIPTS.

Cash remaining in treasury, Feb. 15, 1903,	\$717 99
Interest on Ware fund,	44 62
Cheshire Provident Institution,	10 90
County commissioners for county paupers,	668 62
County aid to dependent soldiers,	41 79
E. J. Bullard, for plank,	40
F. F. Downing, 1902 tax,	792 78
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C. L. Russell, cash,	1,000 00
George W. Willis, 1903 tax,	14,464 00
F. F. Downing, interest on 1901 tax,	1 29
G. I. Cutler, dog tax,	272 40
Whitcomb Mfg. Co., pine in cemetery,	71 15
State license commissioners,	151 24
E. B. Holbrook, show license,	2 00
George W. Willis, outhouse and stove in No. 4,	8 50
Edward Harris, settees from No. 1 schoolhouse,	1 00
Will Ward, stove,	50
Winchester National Bank,	1,000 00
B. F. Mead, for schoolhouse,	125 00
F. O. Dodge, for old hearse,	25 00
Golden Rod Grange, use of hall,	30 00

Railroad tax,	166 29
Savings bank tax,	205 16
Literary fund,	207 68
E. P. Rixford's estate, after paying small bills,	15 98
G. L. Underwood, No. 1 schoolhouse and furniture,	52 85
W. F. Oakman, sale of town histories,	12 00
Winchester National Bank,	1,000 00
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	\$21,133 42

DISBURSEMENTS.

TOWN OFFICERS.

Joseph L. Starkey, selectman, 1902,	\$132 00
Edward B. Holbrook, selectman, 1902,	142 50
George E. Adams, selectman, 1902,	110 00
Auburn J. Day, treasurer, 1902,	35 00
Abbie A. Day, treasurer of school district, 1902,	15 00
George I. Cutler, town clerk,	35 05
George I. Cutler, member of school board, 1902,	50 00
Jessie H. Marsh, member of school board, 1902,	50 00
Lucia E. Whitcomb, member of school board, 1902,	50 00
James M. Ramsdell, supervisor, 1901-1902,	22 50
John C. Bourn, member of board of health, 1902,	10 50
F. H. Dickerman, ballot clerk, 2 meetings,	6 00
B. C. Snow, service as sexton, 1902,	11 00
B. C. Snow, services as sexton to April 10, 1903,	17 50
George D. Stone, services as sexton to April 10, 1903,	15 00
Andrew LaFountain, services as sexton and supplies,	40 45
E. J. Bullard, services as constable, 1902,	3 50
N. C. Carter, moderator, spring and fall 1902,	8 00
Andrew LaFountain, services as sexton,	15 00
C. H. Applin, constable, 1902-1903,	10 00
A. W. Willson, police services, July 3 and 4,	2 00
J. W. Sparhawk, police services, July 3 and 4,	2 00
E. C. Emery, services as ballot clerk fall meeting, 1902,	3 00

F. O. Dodge, services as constable, 1902-1903,	14 75
F. O. Dodge, truant officer,	5 25
F. F. Downing, services as school clerk, 1902,	3 25
F. F. Downing, collecting taxes, 1902,	86 50
W. E. Marsh, auditor, 1903,	3 00
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	\$898 75

SUPPORT OF TOWN POOR.

George A. Seaver, board and care of Ephraim Rixford,	\$116 18
Lyndall Leach, aid from June 1 to August 4,	13 50
A. W. Hopkins, M. D., medical aid to Lyndall Leach,	8 75
F. L. Lincoln, board and care of Lyndall Leach,	20 00
Eben Swan, board of Ephraim Rixford,	153 00
Martin Mason, board of Ephraim Rixford,	26 25
Mrs. Morgan Stebbins, aid from Oct. 1, 1903 to Feb. 4, 1904,	54 00
Woodbury & Lesure, casket for E. P. Rixford,	10 00
Dr. G. I. Cutler, medical attendance to E. P. Rixford,	14 85
M. H. Hill, goods furnished Morgan Stebbins,	3 68
H. T. Houghton, moving Morgan Stebbins and goods,	2 00
H. W. Bond, house rent for Morgan Stebbins,	11 00
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	\$433 21

SUPPORT OF TRAMPS.

Michael Corkery, keeping tramps,	\$1 20
J. L. Starkey, aid to tramps,	2 50
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	\$3 70

SUPPORT OF SCHOOLS.

Raised by taxation,	\$2,800 00
Literary fund,	182 00
Railroad tax,	165 29
Balance dog tax,	247 24
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	\$3,394 53

Supplies for schools,	250 00
Repairs school property,	250 00

TUITION FOR SCHOLARS.

D. C. Knowles, tuition for 2 scholars at Tilton seminary, spring term,	\$26 68
W. C. Hall, treasurer, tuition to Keene high school, spring term,	160 00
W. C. Hall, treasurer, tuition to Keene high school, fall term,	195 00
W. C. Hall, treasurer, tuition to Keene high school, winter term,	200 00
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	\$581 68

SUPPORT OF COUNTY POOR.

Mrs. A. L. Richardson, care of Mrs. Eunice Smith,	\$68 75
Mrs. Seraph Quinn, care of Jewett Hill,	91 50
Miss E. Semira Crouch, care of Mrs. Hannah Crouch,	108 00
Mrs. S. H. Fox, house rent for Zoel Emery,	6 00
Peter Lorando, moving and storing Zoel Emery's goods,	2 80
James Marsh, goods furnished Edw. Calkins,	46 62
James Marsh, goods furnished Wm. Nickerson,	91 05
Katherine Madden, nursing Mrs. Wm. Nickerson,	27 25
James Marsh, goods furnished George Kenney,	16 92
Quinn & Grogan, goods furnished George Kenney,	1 39
M. E. Bentley, nursing Mrs. Merton Amadon,	26 50
Dr. A. W. Hopkins, medical attendance, operation, paying nurse and assistant, for Mrs. Merton Amadon,	80 00
Farr & Hicks, groceries furnished Jerry Pelkey,	94 86
Mrs. Mary L. Frink, board and care of Helen F. Haskell,	3 00
E. B. Rugg, board of H. W. Prue and wife,	18 50
Dr. G. I. Cutler, medical attendance to H. W. Prue,	3 10
Dr. G. I. Cutler, medical attendance to Edw. Calkins,	3 65
Dr. G. I. Cutler, medical attendance to Wm. Nickerson's family,	23 10

James Marsh, aid furnished Mrs. Merton Amidon,	10 00
Ella Hatch, work for Edw. Calkins,	8 40
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	\$731 39

AID TO DEPENDENT SOLDIERS.

COUNTY.

Dr. A. W. Hopkins, medical attendance,	\$15 00
James Marsh, wood furnished,	10 00
Quinn & Grogan, goods furnished,	5 93
W. M. Chaplin, goods furnished,	11 86
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	\$42 79

CONTAGIOUS DISEASES.

Dr. G. I. Cutler, services at James Glendon's,	\$1 25
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HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

John W. Starkey, agent,	\$969 47
George L. Underwood, agent,	899 48
Charles A. Barden, agent,	754 11
A. G. Faulkner, breaking out sidewalks, 1902,	5 85
C. R. Worcester, lighting bridge, 1902,	18 00
R. A. Grogan, lighting bridge and repairing lamps,	30 60
A. G. Faulkner, snowing and lighting bridge,	26 85
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	\$2,704 36

DAMAGE DONE BY DOGS.

W. H. Cram, chickens killed by dogs,	\$1 50
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PUBLIC WATER.

George H. Fairbanks, 1903,	\$3 00
George H. Gage, 1903,	3 00

John B. Porter, 1903,	3 00
A. H. Hamblett, 1903,	3 00
Will Ward, 1903,	3 00
David Whitcomb, 1900, 1901, 1902, 1903,	10 50
T. J. Fitzgerald, 1903,	3 00
Ansel A. Morse, 1902, 1903,	6 00
O. D. Twitchell, 1903,	3 00
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	\$37 50

EXPENSE OF FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Henry Giffin, coal for steamer house,	\$7 75
A. J. Day, supplies for engine,	1 76
Chas. E. Paige, coal for steamer,	6 00
F. H. Dickerman, keeping fire in steamer house, 1902-03,	25 00
Frank N. Stone, steamer supplies,	57 50
Boston Woven Hose & Rubber Co., hose and suits, fire dep't.,	75 00
John Stanton, work building place to set steamer,	24 55
S. R. Marcy, work building place to set steamer,	5 25
Wesley Talbot, work building place to set steamer,	3 98
A. L. Taylor, work building place to set steamer,	7 52
B. C. Snow, work building place to set steamer,	8 25
J. L. Leach, work building place to set steamer,	5 25
A. G. Faulkner, work building place to set steamer,	19 25
Chas. F. Holbrook, work building place to set steamer,	4 50
Spencer Hardware Co., lamp,	2 25
F. O. Dodge, rent for housing steamer,	48 00
W. F. Oakman, treas., services of Steamer & Hose Co.,	133 50
F. N. Stone, services as fire warden, and lamp chimney for heater,	2 75
A. C. Mason, treas., services of firemen E. Swanzev fire department,	116 50
J. M. Ramsdell, record book and supplies E. Swanzev fire department,	5 30
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	\$559 86

HOLBROOK FARM ACCOUNT.

Amount due, Feb. 15, 1903,	\$100 00
Mrs. E. E. Rugg, care of child,	50 00
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	\$50 00
Amount due, Feb. 15, 1904,	\$50 00

CARE OF CEMETERIES.

A. W. Eastman, work on cemetery wall,	\$17 50
Martin Hanrahan, work in cemetery,	6 00
J. H. Phillips, work in cemetery,	2 00
M. C. Stone, mowing in new cemetery,	8 00
J. L. Starkey, work in cemetery and help paid,	17 60
J. H. Phillips, care of cemetery lots,	11 00
S. R. Marcy, work in cemetery,	6 65
B. C. Snow, work in cemetery,	11 38
E. B. Holbrook, work in cemetery,	11 24
Geo. D. Stone, drawing shingles and shingling hearse house,	7 20
C. L. Lane, shingles and boards for hearse house,	6 39
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	\$104 96

EXPENSE FOR NEW HEARSE.

James Cunningham, Son & Co., hearse,	\$800 00
B. C. Snow, work on hearse house,	5 00
A. J. Day, goods for hearse house,	4 02
Geo. W. Richardson, work on hearse house,	16 88
Whitcomb Mfg. Co., lumber for hearse house,	6 08
Thayer & Collins, supplies for hearse house,	7 48
Geo. E. Adams, car fare and expense buying hearse,	7 00
J. L. Starkey, car fare and expense buying hearse,	7 00
Edw. B. Holbrook, car fare and expense buying hearse,	7 00
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	\$860 46

DECORATION FUND.

Report of Memorial committee:

Received of selectmen, appropriation, 1903,	\$100 00
Paid Rev. Wm. Thompson for address,	\$15 00
Services of band,	30 00
Flags and express,	3 98
J. B. Porter, for team,	2 25
G. E. Whitcomb, for team,	2 50
Farr & Hicks, ribbon,	15
J. O. Howard & Co., tacks and twine,	15
A. A. Woodward, 1½ lbs. tea,	72
A. A. Woodward, 2 lbs. coffee,	70
A. A. Woodward, 5 lbs. sugar,	27
A. A. Woodward, 5¼ lbs. cheese,	84
A. A. Woodward, 12½ lbs. ham,	2 85
A. A. Woodward, 200 napkins,	50
A. A. Woodward, 1 bunch bananas,	2 25
Mrs. Frank Handy, 12 loaves bread, milk and butter,	2 21
Wreaths and express for Swanzev Center,	20 80
Remarks by Rev. Mr. Kimball, Swanzev Center,	3 00
Roland Alexander, gathering up food,	1 25
Louis P. Butler & Co., 3 doz. roses, 10 doz. carnations and other flowers,	15 25
H. O. Young, express,	25
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	\$104 92
	\$100 00
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Balance paid by Memorial Association, \$4 92

FRED C. LINCOLN,
Treasurer Memorial Committee.

OLD HOME WEEK.

Report of committee:

Received of selectmen, appropriation, 1903,	\$75 00
Paid West Swanzev band,	30 00

Lumber, drawing and nails,	10 25
Miss Wiswall, reading,	5 00
Mr. Bennett, reading,	5 00
Mrs. Farr, singing,	5 00
Printing bills and paper for tables,	2 00
Tank for ice water,	5 00
Use of piano,	4 00
Canvas,	75
F. E. Handy, work,	2 00
H. F. Whitcomb, work,	6 00
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	\$75 00

Eva M. Whitcomb, Edward B. Holbrook, Frank E. Handy,
committee.

EXPENSE FOR NEW SCHOOLHOUSE AT SWANZEY FACTORY.

Samuel Wadsworth, surveying lot,	\$2 50
A. W. Eastman, excavating cellar and building the wall,	243 66
F. L. Roundy, plans and specifications,	5 00
Erdix S. Eastman, building schoolhouse,	2,275 00
Davis & Wright Co., driven well and pump,	27 74
W. O. Chamberlain, land for schoolhouse,	200 00
B. & M. R. R., freight on desks for schoolhouse,	11 28
J. L. Starkey, work grading grounds,	6 00
Geo. D. Stone, work grading grounds with team,	12 00
Geo. W. Eastman, work grading ground with team,	12 00
Geo. E. Adams, freight on school seats,	1 58
Vermont School Seat Co.,	146 22
Goodnow, Aldrich & Co., chair, cushion and shades,	16 80
Erdix S. Eastman, grading and other work,	189 10
R. R. Ramsdell, work on schoolhouse,	1 75
Geo. G. Page, work grading grounds with team,	12 00
Andrew Bloom, drawing posts,	1 50
Andrew Haskell, drawing seats,	1 75
Pearson Bros., work on schoolhouse,	4 99

Geo. E. Adams, building committee,	15 00
J. L. Starkey, building committee,	15 00
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	\$3,200 87

MISCELLANEOUS.

Andrew LaFountain, teams hired,	\$3 00
Lewis Talbot, services at March meeting,	5 00
W. L. Metcalf, stationery and printing,	3 40
Rev. Robert Bennett, reporting marriages,	75
J. H. Phillips, setting glass in town hall,	2 17
John W. Starkey, filling tank near Evans House,	6 50
Anna L. Holbrook, copying taxes on collector's book,	3 00
Geo. E. Adams, copying taxes on invoice book,	5 00
Sentinel Printing Co., printing town reports,	50 40
H. W. Capron, over tax,	5 85
M. C. Stone, wood for town house,	2 75
Sentinel Printing Co., printing auction bills,	1 25
W. H. Spalter, flags for schoolhouses Nos. 1, 5 and 9,	8 55
W. H. Spalter, stationery and order book,	25 02
Dr. G. I. Cutler, reporting deaths, births and marriages,	7 50
Dr. G. I. Cutler, reporting deaths, births and marriages to state registrar,	9 45
Geo. E. Adams, postage, telephoning, etc.,	2 00
F. O. Dodge, over tax,	11 70
F. O. Dodge, killing dogs and collecting licenses,	10 00
W. F. Oakman, taking affidavits and selling town histories,	2 40
Andrew LaFountain, responding to fire alarm at Swan- zey Factory,	2 00
F. F. Downing, abatement on taxes, 1902,	86 07
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	\$253 76

NOTES AND INTEREST PAID.

C. L. Russell, note and interest,	\$1,013 50
Winchester National Bank, note and interest,	1,012 50
Josiah Parson's estate, note and interest,	942 97

Mrs. Belle Angier, interest on note,	92 59
Mrs. Mary A. Whitcomb, interest on note,	52 50
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	\$3,114 06

STATE AND COUNTY TAX.

State tax,	\$1,457 75
County tax,	1,655 32

RECAPITULATION.

RECEIPTS.

Cash remaining in treasury, February 15, 1903,	\$717 99
Interest on Ware fund,	44 62
Cheshire Provident Institution,	10 90
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Will Ward, stove,	50
Winchester National Bank,	1,000 00
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G. L. Underwood, No. 1 schoolhouse and furniture,	52 85
W. F. Oakman, sale of town histories,	12 00
Winchester National Bank,	1,000 00
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	\$21,133 42

DISBURSEMENTS.

Town officers,	\$898 75
Town poor,	433 21
Support of tramps,	3 70
Support of schools,	3,394 53
Repairs of school property,	250 00
Supplies for schools,	250 00
Tuition for scholars,	581 68
Support of county poor,	731 39
County aid to dependent soldiers,	42 79
Contagious diseases,	1 25
Highways and bridges,	2,704 36
Damage done by dogs,	1 50
Public water,	37 50
Expense of fire department,	559 86
Holbrook farm account,	50 00
Care of cemeteries,	104 96
New hearse and repairs on hearse house,	860 46
Decoration fund,	100 00
Old Home Week,	75 00
New schoolhouse,	3,200 87
Miscellaneous,	253 76
Notes and interest paid,	3,114 06

State tax,	1,457 75
County tax,	1,655 32
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	\$20,762 70

LIABILITIES.

Estimate due town officers,	\$750 00
Due schools, literary fund,	207 68
Due schools, railroad tax,	166 29
Due schools, balance dog tax,	270 90
Mrs. Belle Angier, note,	1,300 00
Mrs. Mary Whitcomb, note,	1,500 00
Due Holbrook farm account,	50 00
Due A. A. Ware, cemetery fund,	300 00
Due Angelia Woodbury, cemetery fund,	100 00
Due Manning Hunt, cemetery fund,	100 00
Due Harriet Lawrence, cemetery fund,	150 00
Due John Holbrook, cemetery fund,	200 00
Winchester National Bank,	1,000 00
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	\$6,094 87

ASSETS.

Cash remaining in treasury, Feb. 15, 1903,	\$370 72
Remaining in collector's hands, 1903 taxes,	965 21
Due from county,	277 64
Angelia Woodbury, cemetery fund,	100 00
Cash remaining in Brattleboro bank, A. A. Ware cemetery fund,	300 00
John Holbrook, cemetery fund,	200 00
Harriet Lawrence, cemetery fund,	150 00
Manning Hunt, cemetery fund,	100 00
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	\$2,463 57

Total liabilities,	\$6,094 87
Total assets,	2,463 57
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Indebtedness of the town,	\$3,631 30

JOSEPH L. STARKEY,
EDWARD B. HOLBROOK,
GEORGE E. ADAMS,
Selectmen of Swanzey.
EDWARD H. SNOW,
Treasurer.

Having examined the foregoing accounts of the selectmen and treasurer, I do certify that I find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

WALTER E. MARSH,
Auditor.

REPORT OF JOHN W. STARKEY, ROAD COMMISSIONER.

FEBRUARY AND MARCH, 1903.

John W. Starkey, 173 hours,	\$34 60
Whitcomb Mfg. Co.'s team, 108 hours,	21 60
C. A. Starkey, 93 hours,	6 98
E. Bolles, 106 hours,	15 90
M. Bartlett and team, 45 hours,	15 75
George Dolby, 45 hours,	6 75
H. Whittemore, 45 hours,	6 75
J. Stanton and team, 45 hours,	15 75
H. Leonard, 15 hours,	2 25
Andrew LaFountain, snowing bridge,	9 60
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	\$135 93

APRIL.

John W. Starkey, 252 hours,	\$50 40
Whitcomb Mfg. Co.'s team, 212 hours,	42 40
E. Bolles, 212 hours,	31 80
M. Bartlett and team, 182 hours,	63 70
Geo. Dolby, 33 hours,	4 95
H. Whittemore, 211 hours,	31 65
J. Stanton and team, 112 hours,	39 20
Henry Leonard 102 hours,	15 30
Silas Leach, 90 hours,	13 50
F. Whittemore, 70 hours,	10 50
A. M. Worcester, work,	75
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	\$304 15

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MAY.

John W. Starkey, 215 hours,	\$43 00
Whitcomb Mfg. Co.'s team, 199 hours,	39 80
Ed. Bolles, 199 hours,	29 85
M. Bartlett and team, 92 hours,	32 20
H. Whittemore, 87 hours,	13 05
Henry Leonard, 189 hours,	28 35
Silas Marcy, 87 hours,	13 05
Silas Leach, 87 hours,	13 05
A. B. Skinner Co., dynamite and fuse,	2 00
Spencer & Co., picks and handles,	2 80
Knowlton & Stone, tile,	1 22
J. Stanton, freight on tile,	15
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	\$218 52

JUNE.

John W. Starkey, 122 hours,	\$24 40
Whitcomb Mfg. Co.'s team, 51 hours,	10 20
Henry Leonard, 129 hours,	19 35
Ed. Bolles, 73 hours,	10 95
Silas Marcy, 46 hours,	6 90
M. Bartlett and team, 51 hours,	17 85
Whitcomb Mfg. Co., tile,	6 50
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	\$96 15

JULY AND AUGUST.

John W. Starkey, 177 hours,	\$35 40
Whitcomb Mfg. Co.'s team, 65 hours,	13 00
Henry Leonard, 10 hours,	1 50
Silas Marcy, 10 hours,	1 50
John Hill, 20 hours,	3 00
Carter & Greenleaf, 45 loads of gravel,	2 25
O. P. Bennett, 5 loads of gravel,	25
N. C. Carter, 1 stone pick,	50

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C. L. Lane, shingles,	63 52
John Conboy, bridge stringers,	3 00
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	\$123 92

SEPTEMBER.

John W. Starkey, 14 hours,	\$2 80
Andrew LaFountain, team,	2 00
O. C. Nash, work on bridge and nails,	26 50
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	\$31 30

OCTOBER, 1903, TO FEBRUARY, 1904.

John W. Starkey, 144 hours,	\$28 80
Whitcomb Mfg. Co.'s team, 63½ hours,	12 70
C. A. Starkey, 39 hours,	3 90
John Hill, 11 hours,	1 65
John Starkey's team, 23½ hours,	2 35
Otis A. Starkey, 23 hours,	3 45
F. O. Dodge's bill,	1 35
Geo. W. Richardson, railings,	5 12
Farr & Hicks, spikes,	18
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	\$59 50

RECAPITULATION.

Expenses for February and March,	\$135 93
Expenses for April,	304 15
Expenses for May,	218 52
Expenses for June,	96 15
Expenses for July and August,	123 92
Expenses for September,	31 30
Expenses for October, 1903, to February, 1904,	59 50
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	\$969 47

REPORT OF
G. L. UNDERWOOD, ROAD COMMISSIONER.

MARCH, 1903.

G. L. Underwood, 45 hours,	\$9 00
G. L. Underwood, team, 65 hours,	13 00
E. A. Underwood, 65 hours,	9 75
J. E. Underwood, 30 hours,	4 50
M. C. Stone, breaking roads,	1 85
H. W. Banks, snowing bridge,	2 35
C. R. Worcester, snowing bridge,	5 00
	<hr style="width: 20%; margin-left: auto; margin-right: 0;"/> \$45 45

APRIL.

G. L. Underwood, 63 hours,	\$12 60
E. A. Underwood, 40 hours,	6 00
Rob. Eastman, 30 hours,	4 50
John Lahiff, 10 hours,	1 50
Frank Thurber, cleaning sidewalks,	11 85
G. L. Underwood, team, 53 hours,	10 60
	<hr style="width: 20%; margin-left: auto; margin-right: 0;"/> \$47 05

MAY.

G. L. Underwood, 188 hours,	\$37 60
E. A. Underwood, 198 hours,	29 70
John Lahiff, 188 hours,	28 20
O. L. Haskell, 40 hours,	6 00
L. Richardson, 100 hours,	15 00

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Rob. Eastman, 5 hours,	75
Frank Thurber, 8 hours,	1 20
Joel Stebbins, tile,	1 20
G. L. Underwood, 2 teams, 188 hours,	75 20
R. R. Ramsdell,	2 85
	<hr/> \$197 70

JUNE.

G. L. Underwood, 170 hours,	\$34 00
L. Richardson, 150 hours,	22 50
John Lahiff, 150 hours,	22 50
Mike Brown, 150 hours,	22 50
E. A. Underwood, 180 hours,	27 00
G. L. Underwood, two teams, 170 hours,	68 00
	<hr/> \$196 50

JULY.

G. L. Underwood, 120 hours,	\$24 00
L. Richardson, 149 hours,	22 35
Joe Harness, 140 hours,	21 00
E. A. Underwood, 60 hours,	9 00
G. L. Underwood, team 140 hours,	28 00
C. R. Worcester, 8 hours,	1 20
M. Garvin, blasting stone,	3 00
F. E. Keyes, dynamite,	1 90
	<hr/> \$110 45

AUGUST.

G. L. Underwood, 50 hours,	\$10 00
P. E. Gay, 65 hours,	9 75
L. Richardson, 60 hours,	9 00
Joe Harness, 60 hours,	9 00
J. E. Underwood, 40 hours,	6 00

E. A. Underwood, 40 hours,	6 00
G. L. Underwood, team 60 hours,	12 00
Spencer Hardware Co.'s bill,	12 55

\$74 30

OCTOBER.

G. L. Underwood, 40 hours,	\$8 00
Joe Harness, 50 hours,	7 50
L. Richardson, 50 hours,	7 50
P. E. Gay, 22 hours,	3 30
J. E. Underwood, 30 hours,	4 50
G. L. Underwood, team 50 hours,	10 00

\$40 80

FEBRUARY.

G. L. Underwood, 80 hours,	\$16 00
E. A. Underwood, 85 hours,	12 75
O. L. Haskell, 5 hours,	75
John Ellis, 30 hours,	4 50
G. L. Underwood, two teams 60 hours,	24 00

\$58 00

C. L. Lane, shingles and boards for bridge,	\$129 23
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RECAPITULATION.

March,	\$45 45
April,	47 05
May,	197 70
June,	196 50
July,	110 45
August,	74 30
October,	40 80
February,	58 00

\$770 25

C. L. Lane's bill,	129 23
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\$899 48

REPORT OF
C. A. BARDEN, ROAD COMMISSIONER.

FEBRUARY, 1903.

C. A. Barden, with team, 6 hours,	\$2 40
C. A. Barden and man, 5 hours,	1 75
O. R. Farr, with team, 4 hours,	1 40
Geo. Rice, 5 hours,	75
W. I. Ballou, 7 hours,	1 05
Edgar Handy, with team,	1 97
J. L. Starkey, man and team,	2 95
David Whitecomb, snowing bridge,	3 50
	<hr/> \$15 77

MARCH AND APRIL.

C. A. Barden, with team, 221 hours,	\$88 40
C. A. Barden, 36 hours,	7 20
W. I. Ballou, 205 hours,	30 75
J. W. Ballou, 123 hours,	18 45
Earl Ballou, 36 hours,	5 40
W. E. Day, 35 hours,	5 25
O. R. Farr, with team, 50 hours,	17 50
O. D. Hale, 87 hours,	13 05
J. M. Prentice, self, man and team, 98 hours,	49 00
W. I. Twitchell, 7 hours,	1 05
C. H. Applin, 100 loads gravel,	5 00
J. M. Prentice, 194 loads gravel,	9 70
W. H. Perry, 10 loads gravel,	50
Edgar Handy, 25 loads gravel,	1 25
J. M. Read, 12 loads gravel,	60

A. A. Woodward, spikes and fuse,	96
C. A. Bouvier, sharpening picks,	20
A. B. Skinner Co., dynamite,	2 99
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	\$257 25

MAY AND JUNE.

C. A. Barden, with team, 70½ hours,	\$28 20
C. A. Barden, 104 hours,	20 80
C. D. Barden, 60 hours,	7 50
W. I. Ballou, 157 hours,	23 55
Earl Ballou, 100 hours,	15 00
J. W. Ballou, 110 hours,	16 50
J. W. Goodell, labor,	5 60
O. D. Hale, 6 hours,	90
J. M. Prentice, man and team, 120 hours,	42 00
A. Talbot, man and team, 110 hours,	38 50
A. A. Whitcomb, 10 hours,	1 50
C. A. Bouvier, repairs on scraper,	45
A. A. Woodward, oiler and spikes,	45
C. H. Applin, 7 loads gravel,	35
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	\$214 10

JULY AND AUGUST.

C. A. Barden, with team, 28 hours,	\$11 20
C. A. Barden, 17 hours,	3 40
C. D. Barden, 45 hours,	5 62
C. L. Lane, lumber for bridge,	7 50
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	\$27 72

SEPTEMBER.

C. A. Barden, with team, 90 hours,	\$36 00
C. D. Barden, 20 hours,	2 50
W. I. Ballou, 84 hours,	12 60
W. W. Hale, 15 hours,	2 25
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	\$53 35

OCTOBER.

C. A. Barden, with team, 90 hours,	\$36 00
C. A. Barden, 15 hours,	3 00
C. A. Barden, spikes and railings,	1 40
W. I. Ballou, 38 hours,	5 70
J. F. Ballou, labor,	3 20
W. W. Hale, 70 hours,	10 50
W. W. Hale, posts and railings,	1 50
J. P. Marsh, $3\frac{1}{2}$ hours,	53
C. L. Lane, posts and plank,	9 19
E. Naramore, plank,	3 88
Spencer Hardware Co., tile,	14 80
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	\$89 70

NOVEMBER.

C. A. Barden, with team, 15 hours,	\$6 00
C. A. Barden, 48 hours,	9 60
W. I. Ballou, 57 hours,	8 55
J. W. Goodell, labor,	1 00
W. W. Hale, 45 hours,	6 75
J. L. Winch, 15 hours,	2 25
C. A. Barden, spikes and railings,	48
C. H. Applin, 10 loads gravel,	50
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	\$35 13

JANUARY AND FEBRUARY, 1904.

C. A. Barden, with team, 31 hours,	\$12 40
C. A. Barden, breaking road 26 hours,	5 20
W. I. Ballou, breaking road 24 hours,	3 60
H. W. Banks, with team, breaking road,	1 00
O. R. Farr, with team, breaking road $26\frac{1}{2}$ hours,	9 28
C. O. Hewes, with team, breaking road $11\frac{3}{4}$ hours,	4 12
O. D. Hale, breaking road 1 hour,	15

C. L. Lane, man and team, breaking road 17½ hours,	6 13
J. M. Prentice, man and team, breaking road,	12 75
J. L. Starkey, breaking road 10 hours,	1 50
O. D. Twitchell, with team, breaking road 9½ hours,	3 33
H. W. Williams, with team, breaking road,	1 63
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	\$61 09

RECAPITULATION.

February, 1903,	\$15 77
March and April,	257 25
May and June,	214 10
July and August,	27 72
September,	53 35
October,	89 70
November,	35 13
January and February, 1904,	61 09
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	\$754 11

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL BOARD,

FOR THE YEAR 1903-1904.

The following report of the schools for the past year, together with a statistical report for the legal school year ending August 1, 1903, is respectfully presented to the inhabitants of the school district of Swanzev.

During the past financial year there has been an average of 33.58 weeks for the nine different schools, none of them having had less than thirty-three weeks during the year.

The whole number of pupils registered during this time is about 300, of which 168 are between eight and fourteen years of age, when attendance at school is compulsory.

Most parents in the town seem willing to conform to the state law regarding attendance at school. There are, however, a few who try to evade it, and it may be necessary in the near future to make an example in the enforcement of this law, that these may be better able to understand its meaning.

Four of the nine schools in town are graded, and an attempt has been made to arrange the studies in the remaining five so that they will conform as nearly as possible with those of the classes in the graded schools.

Ten pupils have availed themselves of the opportunity for the first year of high school work and in the same amount of time we believe that they have accomplished as much work, and that as thoroughly, as those who have had their tuition paid out of town.

This amount of tuition saved should make the town willing to raise enough extra money to prolong the school year.

There is a lack of reference books in the schools, and a beginning has been made toward supplying this need.

A fine commodious school building has been erected near Factory Village in accordance with a vote taken at the last annual meeting, and this school promises to be one of the largest in town.

During the two years preceding the one just closed, it was found necessary to make extensive changes in text books, also to supply a long felt need for maps to be used in the study of geography and history. These changes and additions involved an expense somewhat larger than the appropriation for supplies. This deficiency has been made up during the past year, partly by applying a portion of the regular appropriation, and partly by drawing upon the town according to the provisions of the law.

Some of our neighboring towns have united for the purpose of employing a superintendent under the law which provides that the state shall pay one-half the salary of the person thus employed, the other half being divided between the towns uniting to form a supervisory district.

Thus if three towns should unite and employ a superintendent commanding a salary of \$1,200, the cost to each town would be \$200.

An article has been inserted in the warrant, giving the voters of the school district of Swanzeÿ an opportunity to avail themselves of the benefits of this law, should they desire to do so.

In conclusion, we would say that we, as members of the school board, have in every instance endeavored to procure the best teachers possible with the means at our command, and we believe that as a whole our schools have been successful.

Classes in our graded schools compare favorably with those of like grade in other towns of our own state and of Massachusetts.

We wish the parents might realize more fully the responsibility which they have in making our schools a success.

Only when the parents and teachers work together in unison in the training of the child can the best results be obtained. And it behooves all good citizens to take an interest in the betterment of our public schools, since the future prosperity of the towns and of our country depends upon the product of these.

JESSIE H. MARSH,
NELLIE L. SPARHAWK,
LUCIA E. WHITCOMB,

School Board.

SCHOOL No. 1.

Miss Stella J. Cherry, teacher for the year.

	1st Term.	2d. Term.	3d Term.
Length of school in weeks,	10 4-5	10 2-5	11
Number of scholars,	33	34	38
Average daily attendance,	27	29	27
Number of cases of tardiness,	42	29	62

Wages of teacher, per month, \$32.00.

Roll of perfect attendance: Second term—Hazel Nash, Thomas Harrocks. Third term—Thomas Harrocks,

SCHOOL No. 2.

Miss Lena Preston, teacher for the year.

	1st Term.	2d Term.	3d Term.
Length of school in weeks,	12	12	11
Number of scholars,	31	27	28
Average daily attendance,	23	24	24
Number of cases of tardiness,	2	4	2

Wages of teacher, per month, \$36.00.

Roll of perfect attendance: First term—Harold Barden, Earle Lane, Raymond Bouvier, Phyllis Lang, Gladys Marsh, Bertha Cole, Leslie Farr, Mary Woodward, Faith Ramsdell, Julia Simino, Harold Lang. Second term—Harold Barden, Raymond Bouvier, Harry Streeter, Bertha Cole, Phyllis Lang, Gertrude Simino, Faith Ramsdell, Mary Woodward. Third term—Phyllis Lang, Faith Ramsdell, Raymond Lane, Leslie Farr, Cecil Lang, Raymond Bouvier.

SCHOOL No. 5.

Miss Margaret H. Foley, teacher, first term.

Miss Katherine F. Foley, teacher, second and third terms.

	1st Term.	2d Term.	3d Term.
Length of school in weeks,	11	15	8
Number of scholars,	16	19	15
Average daily attendance,	13	15	11
Number of cases of tardiness,	1	9	1

Wages of teacher, per month, \$28.00.

Roll of perfect attendance: First term—Clifton Hills, Fred Knight, Harold Talbot, Mabel Downing, Etta Talbot. Second term—Ethel Downing, Clifton Hills, Fred Knight, Harold Talbot. Third term—Clifton Hills, Ethel Downing, Edith Butrick.

SCHOOL No. 7.

Miss Margaret Grogan, teacher for the year.

	1st Term.	2d Term.	3d Term.
Length of school in weeks,	11	15	7
Number of scholars,	27	30	24
Average daily attendance,	22	22	21
Number of cases of tardiness,	9	6	0

Wages of teacher, per month, \$34.00.

Roll of perfect attendance: First term—Maurice Bloom, Hazel Smith, Wayne Holbrook, Oscar Bloom, Maud Hildreth, Margaret Marsh, Allen Bloom, Winona Marsh. Second term—Doris Marsh, Marion Marsh, Maurice Bloom, Allen Bloom, Oscar Bloom, Wayne Holbrook, Alvah Higgins. Third term—Allen Bloom, Maurice Bloom, Wayne Holbrook, Maud Hildreth, Alvah Higgins, Marion Marsh, Doris Marsh, Amy Rixford, Ora Spencer, Cleora Smith, Cassius Smith, Cynthia French.

SCHOOL No. 9.

Miss Viola F. True, teacher for the fall term.

Miss Zoella Phelps, teacher for the winter term.

	Fall Term.	Winter Term.
Length of school in weeks,	9	14
Number of scholars,	20	18
Average daily attendance,	15	13
Number of cases of tardiness,	14	3

Wages of teacher, per month, \$28 00.

Roll of perfect attendance: Fall term—Emily Ballou. Winter term—Gertrude Williams, Myrtie Starkey, Olon Twitchell.

SCHOOL No. 11—FIRST GRAMMAR.

Frank S. Archibald, teacher, first term.

Leander H. Roscoe, teacher, second term.

Leander H. Roscoe, teacher, third term.

	1st Term.	2d Term.	3d Term.
Length of school in weeks,	11	15	8
Number of scholars,	25	28	28
Average daily attendance,	23	26	26
Number of cases of tardiness,	11	7	23
Wages of teacher, per month,	\$50	\$50	\$50

Roll of perfect attendance: First term—Ralph Parker, Forrest Thompson, Maragaret Hanrahan, Katherine Hanrahan, Florence Perham, Marion Verry, Pearl Wyman. Second term—Jennie Duguay, Katherine Hanrahan, Edith Holbrook, Gretchen Leonard, Ora Rixford, Pearl Wyman, Frank Oakman, Maurice Sparhawk, Clarence Worcester, Ellis Wyman. Third term—Eva Cass, Jennie Duguay, Katherine Hanrahan, Ora Rixford, Edna Whitcomb, Pearl Wyman, Ellis Wyman, Maurice Sparhawk, Ralph Parker, Frank Oakman.

SCHOOL NO. 11—SECOND GRAMMAR.

Miss Rachel T. Emery, teacher, first term.

Miss Alice G. Felch, teacher, second term.

Miss Mary E. Mason, teacher, third term.

	1st Term.	2d Term.	3d Term.
Length of school in weeks,	13	15	7
Number of scholars,	43	41	38
Average daily attendance,	37	37	35
Number of cases of tardiness,	5	4	12
Wages of teacher, per month,	\$36	\$36	\$36

Roll of perfect attendance: First term—George Backus, Eva Cass, Florence Greenleaf, Gretchen Leonard, Rosetta Rixford, Clarence Worcester, Belle Atwood, Alice Fassett, Ida Collier, Charles Hayes, Lena Lorando. Second term—Homer Atkins, John Hayes, Ernest Pyne, Carl Stanton, Charles Whitcomb, Walter Kingsbury, Mary Duguay, Katherine Fitzgerald, Florence Greenleaf, Bernice Hayes, Jennie Hayes, Lillie Hewitt, Lena Lorando, Dora Marshall, Estella McCormick, Rosetta Rixford, Lena Talbot, Rhoda Rugg. Third term—Homer Atkins, Florence Greenleaf, Jennie Hayes, John Hayes, Charles Hayes, Bernice Hayes, Lena Lorando, Dora Marshall, Rosetta Rixford, George Buckus, Luther Rixford, Mary Duguay, Charles Whitcomb.

SCHOOL No. 11—INTERMEDIATE.

Miss Susie A. Hanrahan, teacher for the year.

	1st Term.	2d Term.	3d Term.
Length of school in weeks,	11	15	7
Number of scholars,	28	33	34
Average daily attendance,	25	29	26
Number of cases of tardiness,	11	20	20
Wages of teacher, per month,	\$32	\$32	\$32

Roll of perfect attendance: First term—Chester Stephenson, Clinton Wilson, Ethel Backus, Gladys Day, Fannie Porter, Rhoda Rugg. Second term—Mildred Cross, Ora Duguay, Addie Pelkey, Stella Pyne, Herbert Atwood. Third term—Jessie Henderson, Blanche Pickett, Stella Pyne.

SCHOOL No. 11—PRIMARY.

Miss Laura A. True, teacher for the year.

	1st Term.	2d Term.	3d Term.
Length of school in weeks,	11	15	7
Number of scholars,	53	46	33
Average daily attendance,	42	32	22
Number of cases of tardiness,	25	4	4
Wages of teacher, per month,	\$34	\$34	\$34

Roll of perfect attendance: First term—Herbert Atwood, Carroll Crouch, Byron Porter. Second term—Byron Porter, Carroll Crouch, Guy Hewitt, Harry Quigley. Third term—Marjory Oakman, Cecil Backus, Harry Quigley.

STATISTICAL TABLE FROM AUGUST, 1902, TO AUGUST, 1903.

No. of School.	Teachers.	Terms.	No. of weeks.	Wages of teacher	No. of pupils.	Boys.	Girls.	Average daily attendance.	Percentage of attendance.	Not tardy or absent.	Visits by school board.	Visits by others.	Reading and Spelling.	Penmanship.	Arithmetic.	Geography.	Grammar.	History.	Physiology.	Book-keeping.	Civics.	Algebra.	Geometry.	Rhetoric.	Zoology.
1.	Grace A. Wilbur.....	1	12	\$32	39	19	20	31	92	1	2	38	39	39	32	12	20	15	20	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1.	Grace A. Wilbur.....	1	19	32	31	16	15	26	95	2	3	31	31	31	30	12	20	13	18	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1.	Stella J. Cherry.....	3	11	32	32	18	15	27	92	.....	.....	37	31	31	31	12	20	13	18	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2.	Lena E. Preston.....	1	12	36	32	17	13	28	98	11	3	45	30	30	30	16	18	17	18	1	1	1	1	.....	.....
2.	Lena E. Preston.....	2	17	36	30	17	14	23	94	12	2	44	26	26	25	14	12	11	9	1	1	1	1	.....	.....
2.	Lena E. Preston.....	3	12	36	31	17	14	23	94	12	2	44	26	26	25	14	12	11	9	1	1	1	1	.....	.....
5.	Mertie M. Powers.....	1	9 $\frac{1}{2}$	28	13	3	10	11	93	3	3	9	13	13	13	11	9	9	9	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
5.	Margaret H. Foley.....	2	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	28	10	3	7	19	93	3	4	30	10	10	10	10	9	9	9	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
5.	Margaret H. Foley.....	3	11	28	16	4	12	13	90	5	4	28	15	15	15	12	12	12	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
7.	Margaret V. Grogan.....	1	12	34	35	13	22	29	93	11	4	24	35	35	35	15	15	15	15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
7.	Margaret V. Grogan.....	2	12	34	32	11	11	15	90	3	5	15	22	22	22	8	9	9	9	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
7.	Margaret V. Grogan.....	3	11	34	27	13	14	22	93	2	5	22	27	27	27	11	11	11	11	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
10.	Alice B. Tarbox.....	1	12	32	26	11	15	23	92	8	4	34	26	26	25	25	8	8	8	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
10.	Alice B. Tarbox.....	2	7	32	21	11	10	16	84	4	5	4	22	20	20	19	7	7	7	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
10.	Amanda C. Scammell.....	3	12	32	20	9	11	17	83	5	4	4	22	20	20	18	12	12	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
11.	Laura A. Truc*.....	1	12	34	45	19	26	38	86	7	2	31	45	45	45	45	15	15	15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
11.	Laura A. Truc*.....	2	9	34	41	19	22	33	81	2	3	16	53	53	53	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
11.	Laura A. Truc*.....	3	11	34	53	24	29	42	84	3	3	16	53	53	53	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
11.	Susie A. Haurahant.....	1	12	32	29	10	19	27	93	7	2	12	29	29	29	29	29	29	29	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
11.	Susie A. Haurahant.....	2	9	32	33	11	22	21	78	4	2	13	33	33	33	33	33	33	33	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
11.	Susie A. Haurahant.....	3	11	32	28	10	18	25	91	6	2	13	33	33	33	33	33	33	33	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
11.	Maud S. Evansi.....	1	12	36	47	26	21	42	90	15	4	20	47	47	47	47	47	47	47	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
11.	Maud S. Evansi.....	2	7	36	39	22	17	34	86	16	1	31	43	43	43	43	43	43	43	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
11.	Rachel T. Emery.....	3	13	36	43	25	18	37	92	11	6	7	39	39	39	39	39	39	39	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
11.	Frank S. Archibald.....	1	12	50	29	13	16	26	91	8	5	1	29	29	29	22	21	21	21	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
11.	Frank S. Archibald.....	2	9	50	24	11	13	21	88	3	4	14	24	24	24	16	16	16	16	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
11.	Frank S. Archibald.....	3	11	50	25	11	14	23	93	7	8	14	24	24	24	17	17	17	17	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

* Primary. † Intermediate. ‡ 1st Grammar.

REPORT OF SCHOOL TREASURER.

SCHOOL MONEY RECEIVED.

Balance from last year,	\$298 21
Town appropriation,	2,800 00
Literary fund,	182 00
Dog tax,	247 24
R. R. tax,	165 29
Sale of ashes,	1 00
Sale of stovepipe,	50
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	\$3,694 24

MONEY DISBURSED.

SCHOOL No. 1.

Stella J. Cherry, teaching 3 terms,	\$259 20
Arthur Page, janitor, spring term,	2 00
Nellie Ballou, janitor, fall term,	1 15
G. L. Underwood, 2 loads of wood,	10 00
David Whitcomb, 1 cord wood,	6 00
Geo. W. Eastman, wood and work,	11 25
C. R. Weeks, wood,	3 00
A. T. Fish, conveying scholars 2 terms,	32 72
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	\$325 32

SCHOOL No. 2.

Lena E. Preston, teaching 3 terms,	\$315 00
Clayton Simino, janitor, 3 terms and work,	12 00
A. R. Martin, cleaning schoolhouse,	3 50

John C. Bourne, work and cleaning schoolhouse,	6 80
Geo. W. Willis, 1 cord wood,	4 00
O. L. Crown, conveying scholars,	1 44
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	\$342 74

SCHOOL No. 5.

Margaret Foley, teaching 2 weeks,	\$14 00
Margaret Foley, teaching spring term,	77 00
Katherine Foley, teaching 2 terms,	161 00
Grace Davis, janitor and broom,	1 85
Mrs. C. R. Worcester, janitor 2 terms,	6 00
Mrs. C. R. Worcester, cleaning schoolhouse,	2 00
Grace Davis, cleaning windows,	75
H. E. Howes, 3 cords wood,	12 75
M. C. Stone, 1 cord wood,	4 50
C. R. Weeks, wood,	3 00
C. R. Worcester, work,	1 00
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	\$283 85

SCHOOL No. 7.

Margaret V. Grogan, teaching 3 terms,	\$280 50
Mrs. Myrtie Weeks, janitor, use of pump and work,	9 50
Mrs. Mytie Weeks, cleaning schoolhouse,	2 50
James Marsh, 5 cords wood and sundries,	26 60
C. R. Weeks, wood and work,	4 00
Eugene Weeks, work on wood,	1 00
Lulu Prentice, conveying scholars 3 terms,	17 50
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	\$341 60

SCHOOL No. 9.

Viola F. True, teaching fall term,	\$63 00
Zoella Phelps, teaching winter term,	98 00
Gertrude Williams, janitor,	2 00
Grace Cram, janitor,	46
Clifford Goodell, janitor winter term,	5 45
L. Lowell Belding, hauling wood and work,	7 00
Gertrude Williams, kindlings,	50

L. Lovell Belding, conveying scholars 2 terms,	145 25
W. F. Ballou, conveying scholars,	3 28
Nelson Collier, conveying scholars,	3 44
Mrs. Cora Dunn, conveying scholars,	5 04
H. M. Carlton, work,	60
John C. Bourne, work and cleaning,	2 00
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	\$336 02

SCHOOL No. 10.

Amanda C. Scammell, teaching 1 term,	\$96 00
Herman Taylor, janitor 1 term,	2 00
L. E. Whitcomb, cleaning schoolhouse, etc.,	3 10
L. Lowell Belding, $7\frac{1}{2}$ cords wood,	31 88
Geo. W. Willis, 1 cord wood,	4 00
Edgar Handy, conveying scholars,	159 50
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	\$296 48

SCHOOL No. 11.

Frank S. Archibald, teaching spring term,	\$137 50
L. H. Roscoe, teaching 2 terms,	287 50
Rachel Emery, teaching spring term,	117 00
Alice G. Felch, teaching fall term,	135 00
Mary E. Mason, teaching winter term,	63 00
Susie Hanrahan, teaching 3 terms,	264 00
Laura A. True, teaching 3 terms,	280 50
Guy Willson, janitor spring term,	17 25
Frank Oakman, janitor 2 weeks,	1 00
Clarence Worcester, janitor fall term and work,	23 00
Leon Beals, janitor 1 week,	2 00
Frank Oakman, janitor winter term,	14 00
Adela Taylor, cleaning schoolhouse,	10 00
C. R. Weeks, 4 loads wood,	4 00
J. B. Porter, 6 cords wood,	30 00
J. X. Durant, piling wood,	1 30
John Stanton, coal,	79 10
Alfred Talbot, conveying scholars,	24 80

Geo. L. Crouch, conveying scholars 2 terms,	20 00
H. C. Atwood, conveying scholars 3 terms,	56 00
H. E. Carter, thawing out pump,	75
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	\$1,567 70

MISCELLANEOUS.

E. M. Blake, filling out diplomas,	\$1 50
Farr & Hicks, supplies,	2 82
Board of Selectmen, enumeration of scholars, (1902 bill),	9 00
E. B. Holbrook, enumeration of scholars,	10 00
G. I. Cutler, school order blank,	55
Sentinel Printing Co., 1 order book,	59
A. A. Woodward, supplies,	1 39
Union School District, Keene, tuition for 2 Croto children,	12 00
Nellie L. Sparhawk, feather duster,	80
Goodnow, Aldrich & Co., supplies,	5 80
H. E. Fay, 2 clocks,	7 00
A. B. Skinner Co., 1 duster,	35
Sentinel Printing Co., report cards, etc.,	6 50
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	\$58 30
Amount received,	\$3,694 24
Amount expended,	3,552 01
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Balance in treasury,	\$142 23

SUPPORT AND REPAIRS OF SCHOOL PROPERTY.

RECEIPTS.

Balance from last year,	\$1 92
Town appropriation,	250 00
For damage to school property,	97
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	\$252 89

MONEY DISBURSED.

SCHOOL No. 1.

O. L. Haskell, repairs,	\$1 30
Pearson Brothers, work,	4 00
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	\$5 30

SCHOOL No. 2.

H. C. Weber, painting schoolhouse,	\$47 00
Knowlton & Stone, paint stock,	32 13
John C. Bourne, work and stock,	4 42
H. M. Carlton, posts, lumber and work,	9 83
George Taft, 1 key,	10
B. F. Mead, work and material,	9 20
A. A. Woodward, stock furnished,	7 47
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	\$110 15

SCHOOL No. 5.

Granville Wardwell, wall paper and moulding,	\$3 34
C. N. Eames, painting, work and stock,	18 50
Mrs. C. R. Worcester, lock and key,	75
Geo. W. Draper, repairs,	2 25
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	\$24 84

SCHOOL No. 7.

R. E. Marsh, work,	\$0 55
Martin Mason, work and stock,	18 50
E. S. Eastman, work and stock,	2 12
Luke Ellor, work,	4 46
Arthur P. Read, work with team,	1 75
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	\$27 38

SCHOOL No. 9.

John C. Bourne, repairs,	\$0 75
A. A. Woodward, stock,	97
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	\$1 72

SCHOOL No. 10.

H. M. Carlton, repairs on fence,	\$4 96
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SCHOOL No. 11.

B. F. Mead, work and stock,	\$6 50
A. E. Beals, paint and work,	5 25
A. W. Taylor, grading,	1 25
H. L. Kiblin, work and stock,	10 50
Geo. W. Richardson, work,	1 75
J. W. Sparhawk, work and keys,	1 60

\$26 85

Amount received,	\$252 89
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Amount expended,	201 20
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Balance in treasury,	\$51 69
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TEXT-BOOKS AND SCHOOL SUPPLIES.

RECEIPTS.

Balance from last year,	\$0 79
Town appropriation,	250 00
Sale of books,	1 16

\$251 95

EXPENSES.

Rand, McNally & Co., maps, 1902 bill,	\$54 68
Leavenworth & Green, maps, 1902 bill,	18 00
J. L. Hammett Co., maps,	2 75
The American Book Co., geographies, 1902 bill,	173 38
The American Book Co., arithmetics and writing books,	21 00
D. C. Heath & Co., 30 school song books,	10 00
D. C. Heath & Co., 12 zoologies,	10 00
D. C. Heath & Co., 9 Bancroft's gymnastics,	9 20

Ginn & Co., 2 Montgomery histories,	1 14
Ginn & Co., rhetorics, histories and manuals,	8 33
Ginn & Co., 36 Mother tongues,	13 50
Ginn & Co., 24 Prince's arithmetics,	6 00
E. L. Kellogg & Co., 9 copies "Our Times,"	3 60
Milton Bradley Co., school supplies,	5 29
Houghton, Mifflin & Co., Riverside literature,	5 10
Edward E. Babb & Co., school supplies,	33 71
W. H. Spalter, school supplies,	39 77
A. A. Woodward, note and composition books,	98
School board, freight and express on supplies,	7 82
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	\$424 25
Amount received,	\$251 95
Amount due school treasurer,	172 30
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	\$424 25
Amount expended,	\$424 25

RECAPITULATION.

Expend in School No. 1,	\$330 62
Expend in School No. 2,	452 89
Expend in School No. 5,	308 69
Expend in School No. 7,	368 98
Expend in School No. 9, 2 terms,	337 74
Expend in School No. 10, 1 term,	301 44
Expend in School No. 11, 4 grades,	1,594 55
School supplies,	424 25
Miscellaneous expenses,	58 30
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	\$4,177 46

JULIA E. SNOW,
Treasurer.

Having examined the foregoing accounts, I find them correctly cast and well vouched.

WALTER E. MARSH,
Auditor.

VITAL STATISTICS.

To the Selectmen:

In compliance with an act of the legislature, passed June session, 1887, amended by the legislature of 1899, requiring "clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the record of births, marriages and deaths to the municipal officers for publication in the Annual Report," I hereby submit the following:

BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF SWANZEY, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1903.

Date of Birth	Name of Child (if any).	Sex and Condition.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Age of Father.	Age of Mother.
		Male or Female	Living or Stillborn							
1903.										
Jan. 5	Maxwell Vivian	M	1	Henry H. Barpee	Florence Stephenson	Box maker	Richmond	Swanzy	22	18
" 16	Karl Kenneth	M	1	Ernest W. Page	Lillian Bushey	Milk pedler	Swanzy	Markton, Vt.	23	24
" 25	Cecil Roland	M	3	Albert J. Plummer	Hattie E. Sawyer	Mechanic	Winchester	Swanzy	23	22
Feb. 5	Forrest Henry	M	2	Joseph X. Durant	Mabel E. Jeffs	Laborer	South Keene	Lempster	23	18
" 7	Peter Marcellus	M	11	Tuftield Patnode	Mary M. LaPoint	Stave sawyer	Alburgh, Vt.	Manchester, Vt.	49	36
" 15	Lloyd Edgar	M	12	Edgar E. Bourn	Cora Mason	Farmer	Winchester	Shury	30	27
" 23	Frederick Regis	M	5	Edward Normandie	Mary J. Tessier	Mechanic	Canada	Danemora, N. Y.	35	32
Mar. 2		M	1	Andrew Bloom	Lizzie M. Read	"	Goodh'm Sweden	Winchester	40	37
" 14		M	1	Eli G. Murray	Susan Seal	Blacksmith	St. Albans, Vt.	St. Albans, Vt.	44	39
Apr. 1	Catherine E.	F	4	Wm. Nickerson	Mattie Amadon	Mechanic	Hinsdale	Jacksonville, Vt.	25	32
" 4	Dorris Madge	F	4	Arthur R. Cole	Carrie A. Hildreth	"	Northfield, Ms.	Keene	28	22
" 18	Hildagard Genivieve	M	4	George Robbins	Mary J. DeForge	Laborer	Saranac, N. Y.	Hinggate, Vt.	40	20
" 26	Gertrude Esther	F	3	Herman G. Leonard	Julia A. Waite	Farmer	"	Dublin	46	33
May 3	Alfred Charlie	F	3	John H. Bolles	Mary A. Beal	"	"	England	33	24
" 14	Gerald Guy	M	3	Fred Patnode	Melissa Abare	Sawyer	Alburgh, Vt.	Allonia, N. Y.	44	39
" 22		M	3	Andrew LaFontain	Minnie A. Pollard	Stable keeper	Vergennes, N. Y.	Lincoln, Vt.	41	30
June 27	Charles Prosper	F	5	Oscar R. Farr	Emma L. Ruggs	Farmer	Littleton, Vt.	Swanzy	45	36
July 9	Flora Dion	F	6	Fred L. Carpenter	Ida B. Dickinson	Mechanic	Keene	"	29	27
" 16	Mabel Gertrude	F	7	Fred Dion	Mary River	Box maker	Canada	Canada	32	33
" 19	George	F	6	Louis W. Murray	Anna L. Leach	Tinsmith	St. Albans, Vt.	Cambridge, Vt.	32	31
" 22	Alfred George	F	1	Lewis Dewgaw	Jessie White	Laborer	Wallingford, Vt.	Wallingford, Vt.	28	22
Aug. 21	Edith Mildred	F	6	Hosea M. Butler	Maria Debell	Mill hand	Hinsdale	Winchester	55	31
" 23	Norris Carter	F	5	Wm. F. O'Brien	Alice A. Stanley	Farmer	West Rindge	Swanzy	20	42
Sept. 6	Eleanor Gertrude	F	6	Edgar C. Emery	Florence M. Carter	Box maker	Wakefield	"	32	31
Oct. 26	Carroll Francis	M	4	Richard Grogan	Margaret Quinn	Barber	Swanzy	Keene	34	35
" 28	Clarence W.	M	5	George J. Rice	Maudie A. Bartlett	Teamster	Winchester	Brattleboro, Vt.	25	19
Nov. 13	Donald Alexander	M	4	Willis E. Whittemore	Carrie B. Richardson	Farmer	Richmond	Winchester	37	28
		M	4	Charles A. Barden	Nellie M. Alexander	"	Richmond	Marlboro	44	38

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF SWANZEY, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1903.

Date of Marriage.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence each at time of Marriage.	Age in years.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of each.*	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	* Condition.	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married.
Jan. 1	W. Swanzey	Carl R. Ramsdell	Swanzey	19	Box maker	Swanzey	R. R. Ramsdell	Swanzey	1st	Rev. R. Bennett W. Swanzey
Feb. 13	"	Bertha B. Wetmore	"	18	At home	Roxbury, Vt.	Estha L. Mead Alice Barnard	Swanzy Brandon, Vt. Chittendon, Vt.	1st	
Mar 11	Keene	Alfred H. Woodward	Orange, Ms.	30	Moulder	Holyoke, Ms.	Loami Woodw'd Mary Lamson	Keene	2d	G. I. Cutler, J. P. W. Swanzey
" 25	Swanzey	Angelia L. Cass	Swanzey	30	Housework	"	Charles Marsh Mary'ta Prentice	Swanzy	2d	
" 25	Swanzey	Ernest I. Snow	W. Swanzey	23	Mechanic	"	Benj. C. Snow Jennie O. Shaw	Swanzy Chesterfield	1st	Rev. J. Walther Keene
" 25	Swanzey	Florence L. E. Wymen	Keene	19	Housework	Keene	Geo. S. Wymen	Keene	1st	
June 13	Troy	Myron M. Knowlton	Putney, Vt.	35	Manufacturer	N. Stukely, P. Q.	M. A. Knowlton	Hancock	2d	A. A. French, J. P. Westport
" 13	Troy	Frances L. LeFarra	Swanzy	20	Housework	Montgomery Vt.	Josephine Hyatt Geo. H. LeFarra	Stukely, P. Q. Swanton, Vt.	1st	
Aug. 29	W. Swanzey	Albert A. French	"	56	Blacksmith	Jaffrey	Alice L. Stone	Enosburg F, Vt.	3d	Rev. D. R. Herrick Troy
Sept. 1	"	Uleyetta C. Adams	Troy	45	Housework	Marlboro	Luke French Lucy P. Spauld'g	Jaffrey Marlboro	1st	
Sept. 1	"	Abram Hamner	Fitzwilliam	39	Blacksmith	Wilmington, NY	Elijah H. Adams Luthera Howes	Keene Swanzy	2d	G. I. Cutler, J. P. W. Swanzy
Nov. 2	"	Maudie B. Taft	Swanzy	19	Domestic	Swanzy	Truman Hamner	Swanzy	1st	
" 2	"	Harold E. Foster	New York	35	Teacher	E Westmore'nd	Frances Pomeroy Anson F. Foster	Swanzy Surry	1st	Jardson [ardson Westmoreland
" 2	"	Bertha E. Sprague	W. Swanzy	23	At home	Swanzy	Eldora Streeter	Westmoreland	1st	
" 2	"	Alonzo A. Bowen	Swanzy	27	Farmer	Richmond	Obadiah Sprague	Richmond	1st	
" 2	"	Florence Bartlett	"	18	Housework	Bennington, Vt.	Martha Mason Albert Bowen Ada Koyleigh John Bartlett Lizzie	Marlboro Richmond South Acworth Bennington, Vt. Hancock	1st	Rev. B. F. Kellogg W. Swanzy

* Whether single or widowed. What marriage—whether 1st, 2d, etc.

MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF SWANZEY, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1903.

Date of Marriage.	Place of Marriage.	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of Marriage.	Age in Years.	Occupation of Groom and Bride.	Place of Birth of each.	Names of Parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	* Condition.	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married.
Nov. 11	Keene	Augustine Goodhue	Swanzy	55	Engineer	Hancock	Roland Goodhue Emeline Sawyer	Hancock " Woodbury, Vt.		Rev. J. E. Robins Keene
		Emma G. Bullard	"	50	Housekeeper	Plainfield, Vt.	Samuel Wheeler Caroline ———	"		
Dec. 20	W. Swanzy	Walter L. Taylor	"	42	Box maker	Leominster, Ms.	Chas. H. Taylor Elvira M. Wilson	Stowe, Ms. Michigan, O.		Rev. B. F. Kellogg W. Swanzy
		Flora B. French	"	40	Housekeeper	Medford, Ms.	Luther Spearling Carne Bushwell	Medford, Me. Medford, Me.		

* Whether single or widowed. What marriage—whether 1st, 2d, etc.

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF SWANZEY, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1903.

Date of Death.	Name and Surname of the Deceased.	Age.			Place of Birth.	Sex and Condition.	Place of Birth.		Name of Father.	Maiden Name of Mother.
		Years.	Months.	Days.			Father.	Mother.		
Jan. 6	Eliza A. Knight	87		29	Keene	F	Swanzy	Westmoreland	Lawson Moore	Hannah Blodgett
" 20	Charles E. Young	61	10	24	Rochester	M	Brookline, Vt.	Readsboro, Vt.	Charles Young	Parmella Snow
" 27	Ned H. Evans	37	5	15	Swanzy	M	Swanzy	Chelsea, Vt.	Homer W. Evans	Mary A. Stowe
Feb. 1	Madge K. Evans	6	10	1	Swanzy	F	Swanzy	Keene	Ned H. Evans	Jennie M. Cram
" 4	Nellie A. Crouch	38	6	23	Chesterfield	F	Chesterfield	Westmoreland	Amos C. Crouch	Huldah A. Philips
" 20	Mary E. Hills	49	9	7	Westmoreland	F	Middleboro, Ms.	Swanzy	Daniel Aldrich	Rebecca Winchester
" 28	Sarah E. Aldrich	47	14	Swanzy	Swanzy	F	Swanzy	Amherst, Ms.	Shepley W. Knight	Eliza Moore
Mar. 6	Sarah A. Hall	74	9	24	Winchester	F	Swanzy	Richmond	Marcus C. Stone	Emma J. Wilbur
Apr. 4	Leora B. Stone	23	3	3	Swanzy	F	Richmond	Plainfield	William Woodward	Betsy Starkey
" 11	Eliza W. Whitcomb	82	4	23	Richmond	F	Windsor, Vt.	Richmond	George Marcy	Flora Reid
" 18	Fanny M. Snow	75	10	19	Cornish	F	Richmond	Richmond	Calvin Bryant	Susanna
May 15	Eliza A. Foster	74	5	15	Richmond	F	Chesterfield	Boxboro, Ms.	Marshall H. Bartlett	Florence L. Higgins
June 11	Elizabeth M. Bartlett	11	11	19	Keene	F	Chesterfield	Boxboro, Ms.	Samuel Draper	Laura Draper
July 5	Sarah M. Draper	76	5	1	Chesterfield	F	Long Branch, N.J.	Lincoln, N. J.	Wm. H. Williams	Martha Youmans
" 8	Jonathan V. Williams	58	11	25	Hamilton, N. J.	M	Vergennes, Vt.	Richmond	Andrew LaFountain	Minnie Pollard
" 10	Almina C. Bennett	75	5	12	Swanzy	F	Richmond	Swanzy	Peleg Taft	Polly Cass
Aug. 10	Lyndall W. Leach	68	1	25	Swanzy	M	Westmoreland	"	Lynan Leach	Eliza Whitcomb
Sept. 4	Mary L. Downing	72	9	Swanzy	Swanzy	F	Fitzwilliam	Bernardston, Ms.	Jonathan D. Ware	Alice Hamblet
Oct. 3	Lynan M. Stone	56	10	11	Swanzy	M	Swanzy	New Salem, Ms.	Edmund Stone	Lucy Healey
" 15	Luman M. Seaver	81	Swanzy	Swanzy	Swanzy	F	Swanzy	Patience Haskins	Shubael Seaver	Hepzibeth Stratton
" 26	Damaris Stone	83	10	20	Swanzy	F	Swanzy		Silas Parsons	
Nov. 27	George W. Vaughn	56	2	6	Union, Me.	M	Swanzy			

* Single, married or widowed.

I hereby certify that the foregoing transcript of births, marriages and deaths is correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

GEORGE I. CUTLER,
Town Clerk.

[TOWN WARRANT.]

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

To the inhabitants of the town of Swanzev, in the county of Cheshire, in said state, qualified to vote in town affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the town house in said town on Tuesday, the eighth day of March next, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

- 1—To choose all necessary town officers for the year ensuing.
- 2—To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year, and make appropriation of the same.
- 3—To raise money for the support of schools.
- 4—To raise money for school supplies.
- 5—To raise money for support of poor.
- 6—To raise money for care of cemeteries.
- 7—To raise money for decorating soldiers' graves.
- 8—To see if the town will vote to observe Old Home Week and raise money for the same.
- 9—To see if the town will vote to pay the city of Keene for services of Keene fire department at the following fires: brush fire at Swanzev Factory, April 29, 1903; Keene Gas Light Co.'s mill at Swanzev Factory, Nov. 15, 1903, and call to West Swanzev to woolen mill fire May 31, 1903.
- 10—To see if the town will vote to purchase three road rollers, and raise money for the same.
- 11—To see if the town will vote to insure the town house and schoolhouses, and raise money for the same.

12—To see if the town will vote to act as trustee of the legacy of one hundred dollars (\$100) provided by the will of the late Mrs. Lucy Stratton, to provide for the care of the Stratton lot in Swanzey cemetery.

13—To see if the town will vote to instruct the selectmen to cause to be prepared a highway map at the call of the state engineer, if such call shall be made, as provided by Chapter 133 of the Laws of the State of New Hampshire, passed at the January session, 1903.

14—To see if the town will vote to accept the land proposed to be conveyed to it by Nathan Henry Richardson and Mary A. Richardson, subject to the conditions that the same be held in perpetuity for the use of the people of Swanzey as a park or pleasure ground, with no charge for admittance; that the town put the same in tasteful condition and appropriate a reasonable sum of money annually to keep it so; that no intoxicating liquors shall ever be sold on the premises; and that the place be named, "The Richardson Park." And if the town shall so vote, to see what sum of money it will vote to appropriate annually for the maintenance of such park.

15—To see if the town will vote to raise one hundred (\$100) dollars to defray the expenses of the Stratton Library for the ensuing year, or take any action thereon.

16—To see if the town will vote to purchase land and erect a hall and engine house at West Swanzey, and raise money for the same, or take any action thereon.

17—To see if the town will vote to repair the old engine house at West Swanzey, and raise money for the same, or take any action thereon.

18—To see if the town will vote to lay a pipe from Milan A. Dickinson's fire pump to the tank on the common, and raise money for the same, or take any action thereon.

19—To see if the town will vote to build a highway, commencing on the west side of the railroad crossing near Edward Davis'; thence northerly, on the line of said railroad, to the highway west of the railroad crossing north of the dwelling house of the late George W. Ellis.

Given under our hands and seal this twentieth day of February,
in the year of our Lord, nineteen hundred and four.

JOSEPH L. STARKEY,
EDWARD B. HOLBROOK,
GEORGE E. ADAMS,
Selectmen of Swanzey.

A true copy of warrant—attest:

JOSEPH L. STARKEY,
EDWARD B. HOLBROOK,
GEORGE E. ADAMS,
Selectmen of Swanzey.

[SCHOOL WARRANT.]

THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

To the inhabitants of the school district in the town of Swanzey, qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the town house in said district on the eighth day of March, 1904, at two o'clock in the afternoon to act upon the following subjects:

1—To choose a moderator for the coming year.

2—To choose a clerk for the ensuing year.

3—To choose a member of the school board for the ensuing three years.

4—To choose a treasurer for the ensuing year.

5—To hear the reports of agents, auditors, committees, or officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

6—To choose agents, auditors and committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

7—To see how much money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools.

8—To see how much money the district will raise for the support and repair of school property.

9—To see if the district will vote to authorize the school board to unite with one or more town districts or special districts, to form a supervisory district for the purpose of employing a superintendent of the public schools therein, under the provisions of Chapter 77 of the Session Laws of New Hampshire, 1899; and to raise money to carry such vote into effect.

* Given under our hands at said Swanzey, this 20th day of February, 1904.

JESSIE H. MARSH,
NELLIE L. SPARHAWK,
LUCIA E. WHITCOMB,

School Board.

A true copy of warrant—attest:

JESSIE H. MARSH,
NELLIE L. SPARHAWK,
LUCIA E. WHITCOMB,

School Board.

